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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION TRANSMITTAL

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Atty. Docket No. SIC-99-036



In re application of: YOSHIAKI NANKO et al.

Application No. 09/474,916

Filed: December 29, 1999

Group Art Unit: 3682

For: DRIVE MECHANISM FOR A BICYCLE
TRANSMISSION ASSIST MECHANISM

MAIL STOP RCE
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Commissioner:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application.

A petition to extend time to respond in the above-identified prior application complying with the OG Notice of June 14, 1984 is enclosed.
 Please enter the amendment under §1.116 dated _____ and unentered in the prior nonprovisional application.
 Please enter the enclosed amendment.
 Enclosed is an Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 with copies of cited references.
 Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months.
(Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) required).
 Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503).

The required fees have been calculated as shown below:

| | CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | | HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | PRESENT EXTRA |
|---|---|-------|---------------------------------------|------------------|
| TOTAL | 46 | MINUS | 46 | 0 |
| INDEP. | 10 | MINUS | 9 | 1 |
| [] FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM | | | | |

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01 FC:1801 750.00 OP
02 FC:1201 84.00 OP

RCE fee \$ 750.
 Claims fee \$ 84.
 Time extension fee \$ 110.
 A check for \$ 944 is enclosed.

Two copies of this sheet are enclosed.

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I hereby certify that this is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on September 15, 2003

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| SMALL ENTITY | | OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY | |
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| OR | | | |
| RATE | ADDIT. FEE | RATE | ADDIT. FEE |
| x9= | \$ | x18= | \$ |
| x42= | \$ | 1x84= | \$ 84 |
| +140= | \$ | +280= | \$ |
| TOTAL ADDIT. FEE | | TOTAL \$ 84 | |

Respectfully submitted,
DELAND LAW OFFICE

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